

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

MAY 19, 1896.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. HALE presented the following

CONFERENCE REPORT:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H. R. 7542) making appropriations for the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its amendments numbered 23, 30, and 55.

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate numbered 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 50, and 54, and agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 10:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 10, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

Add at the end of the matter inserted by said amendment the following:

*And the Secretary of the Navy shall detail a clerk of class one to perform clerical services in the Navy Department necessary to carry on the work incident to this appropriation; and the Senate agree to the same.*

Amendment numbered 18:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 18, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

Strike out the comma (,) after the word "laboratory" in line 3, page 22 of the bill, and restore the matter stricken out by said Senate amendment; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 22:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 22, and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

Strike out, in lines 4 and 5 of said amendment, the words "made for the same," and insert in lieu thereof the word *completed*; and the Senate agree to the same.

Amendment numbered 24:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 24, and agree to the same with amendments as follows:

Strike out the words inserted by said amendment and insert in lieu

thereof the following, *at two thousand five hundred dollars each; one of English studies, history, and law (after thirty years' service), two thousand five hundred dollars*, and strike out, in lines 22 and 23, page 36 of the bill, the words "at two thousand five hundred dollars each;" and the Senate agree to the same.

On amendments numbered 2, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 51, 52, and 53, the committee of conference has been unable to agree.

EUGENE HALE,

M. S. QUAY,

A. P. GORMAN,

*Managers on the part of the Senate.*

C. A. BOUTELLE,

JNO. B. ROBINSON,

AMOS J. CUMMINGS,

*Managers on the part of the House.*

